the casual Announcers and the Newsreaders of the All India Radio and Doordarshan that the Doordarshan Newsreaders and Announcers are paid four times more than their counterparts in the All India Radio;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the steps being taken to bring parity in the aforesaid fees?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) and (b) The programme/professional requirements of Announcers and Newsreaders being different in the two Media, the fee for the Casual Artists performing these functions in the two Media also vary.

(c) Does not arise.

Survey to explore mineral deposits in Madhya Pradesh

*237. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether a survey to explore mineral deposits from the commercial and industrial points of view is being carried out during the current year in 13 districts of Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, which are the districts where the survey has been conducted so far;

(c) by when the survey is likely to be completed; and

(d) to what extent tin and coal deposits have been found in Madhya Pradesh ?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI MAKHAN LAL FOTEDAR): (a) to (d) In 1988-89, Geological Survey of India is carrying out survey to explore mineral potential in nine districts in Madhya Pradesh *viz.* Panna, Betul, Balaghat, Chattarpur, Damoh, Raigarh, Raipur, Bastar, and Khargone. Besides, the State Government is reported to be carrying out surveys through its Directorate of Geology and Mining in 13 districts *viz.* Raipur, Durg, Shahdol, Surguja, Bilaspur, Bastar, Datia, Shivpuri, Jhabua, Rewa, Damoh, Mandla and Balaghat.

Surveys relating to exploration for mineral deposits are a continuous process and could continue till the areas have been fully investigated for their mineral potential.

The total estimated deposits of tin and coal in Madhya Pradesh are 7866 tonnes and 29,876.82 million tonnes respectively.

Integrated pest management for cotton crop

*238 SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a workshop was conducted in the Prakasam district of Andhra Pradesh participated by the Scientists from ICRISAT, Andhra Pradesh Agricultural University, Central Plant Protection Training Institute (Government of India) Department of Agriculture and representatives of Farmers, Trade and Industry and a strategy was evaluated in integrate pest mangement of cotton crop and the